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In re application of: Dominique MARIAULLE et al.
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Title: POWER ASSISTANCE DEVICE FOR AN ULTRASONIC
VIBRATION DENTAL HANDPIECE

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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February 13, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 16, 2003, for which the period for response has been extended two months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

An Appendix is attached following the signature page of this paper.